

THE NEWS-BULLETIN

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Mrs. Christoph Abbe Answers Final Summons

Mrs. Christoph Abbe, former resident of Bremen Township, died at Blue Island the past week. Funeral services were held last Thursday afternoon from the late home in Blue Island to the Bachelor Grove Lutheran church north of Tinley Park, the Rev. Wm. Greve officiating. The seating and standing capacity was taxed to the utmost as hundreds of friends, neighbors and relatives had congregated to pay a final tribute of respect to the departed who had been a life long member of this church, having been christened, confirmed and married in this church. The services were impressive.

The floral offerings were profuse and beautiful. Interment took place in the Bachelor Grove Cemetery.

Members of the Ladies Aid of this church of which the deceased had been a member, carried the many floral offerings to the grave.

Anna Mary Abbe nee Schilling, daughter of George and Dorothy Schilling was born Oct. 27, 1865 in the Town of Bremen. On Nov. 20, 1887 she was united in marriage with Christoph Abbe. This union was blessed with two children, Henry, living on the old homestead near Oak Forest, and Minnie, now Mrs. Frank Meblan of Blue Island.

After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Abbe resided on a farm near Oak Forest until 1914 when they retired from farming and moved to Blue Island. Diabetes was the cause of Mrs. Abbe's death. She attained the age of 59 years.

Mr. Peters of Frankfort Hurt As Wagon Upsets

While Mr. Peters who hauls milk each morning from Frankfort to the Bowman Dairy plant at Mokena, was returning home Wednesday morning with a load of empty cans, the wagon skidded on the icy road near the C. E. Haney place south of Mokena and upset in the ditch. In attempting to jump from the wagon, Mr. Peters fell between the horses and sustained two broken ribs and was otherwise badly bruised.

Mrs. Susan Agate Dies at Daughter's Home at New Lenox

Mrs. Susan Tucker Agate, died at New Lenox, Ill., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Bentley, Dec. 12th.

Mrs. Agate fell a short time ago sustaining an injury which kept her confined to her bed and caused her much suffering.

Mrs. Agate was born near Croyden, Surrey, England, on Oct. 27, 1836. She was united in marriage to George Agate April 4, 1859 and they immediately came to this country. They lived in Homer township one year, then moved to Orland, where they spent the remainder of their lives. The past two years she has been living with her daughter and son.

She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. J. R. Bentley of New Lenox, three sons, George, Henry of Indiana and David of Orland. Six grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

She was brought up and confirmed in the Episcopal church. There being no Episcopal church in Orland she joined the Methodist church and at the time of her death was its oldest member.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Orland M. E. church, Rev. Mr. Collins officiating.

TINLEY STORES OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL CHRISTMAS

The Tinley Park stores will be open nights until Christmas. Trade has been quite brisk the past week.

Palos Park Man Writes of Wonders of National Capitol

Editor News-Bulletin:— Recently in course of my annual meanderings which has taken me into forty States of the Union, five provinces of Canada and two states of the Republic of Mexico within the past twelve months, I found myself once more paying my ten day annual visit to our great and beautiful National Capital—Washington, D. C.

What a wonderful, wonderful city it is! It does seem to me that here in Washington D. C., has been assembled the greatest in Art, architecture, engineering, science, decorating landscape gardening, city planning etc., that the entire world possesses.

All have seemed to cooperate in one magnificent human effort to excel and to create here in Wash. D. C. a capital City worthy of the most powerful, the most human and most enlightened nation that has ever occupied a position in all the pages of history.

Entering Washington D. C. by train you are first impressed by the magnificence of the union station, a structure costing \$20,000,000, 700 feet long, 200 feet deep and train sheds extending back 3 blocks. The design of the building is entirely original.

I am trying to write you a letter about Wash. D. C. in about a column of The News-Bulletin and yet as I enter the Capital building I purchase a quarto volume of 300 pages devoted to the history, art, architecture, statuary, paintings of this one building.

Aside from the Capital there are ten basic departments of our national government viz: State, Treas., Army, Navy, Atty. General, Post Office, Interior, Agriculture, Commerce and Labor. Each of these departments have one or more handsome buildings and each department requires double the space it now has to meet the requirements of a wonderfully prosperous and rapidly expanding country. On each department, a volume equal to the one on the Capital could only tell part of the story.

I look around and stroll down Pennsylvania Ave., considered by artists the most beautiful boulevard in all the Capitals of the world.

I leave this thoroughfare and digress to the Smithsonian Institute. As I enter, I purchase several bulletins, any one which would almost rise to the dignity of a volume. The attendant tells me there are 9,000,000 specimens displayed in the various buildings of this one department and nearly that many specimens not displayed, owing to lack of space—and yet every specimen is of value, as adding some scientist to better understand some phase of some problem in nature.

Our Federal Government preforms many functions and preforms them on the whole, effectively and efficiently. A good part of the army and navy is utilized in civilian duties in times of peace. Our army engineers assisted in constructing our government owned and operated Alaska R. R. The navy officers give us information on many problems from all parts of the world.

Our various departments work in perfect harmony. As one visits the various departments of government, he cannot but be impressed with the interest and industry and devotion of government employees.

We have a great Country. Let us try to make it greater.

Yours,
F. H. Monroe.

ADVERTISING BOOMS XMAS TRADE FOR MOKENA DEALER

R. Hensel proprietor of the Mokena drug store reports a real brisk Xmas trade. Mr. Hensel has run a good advertising campaign both by advertising in the News Bulletin and by window displays that in themselves are an adv. He also carries a stock of goods that rivals some city stores.

The Covered Wagon Comes to the Marley Church

A magnificent epic of the early west is James Cruze's Paramount production, "The Covered Wagon", which will be the feature at the Marley church 3 nights beginning December 31st and will also be the big attraction on the nights of Jan. 1st and 2nd. This is a picturization of Emerson Hough's novel of the same name, and it is said to be one of the greatest photoplays ever seen on the screen.

The features embraced in this (continued on page 4)

THE CLEARING HOUSE

To the Editor:—

The editorial which appeared in your paper in the issue of December 5th under the caption of "Mokena's Need of a Hall" is one worthy of praise and deserves the attention of our village board. Mokena is badly in need of a hall. No other town of the same size within a radius of fifty miles, is without one. Why should Mokena be the Sleepy Hollow of Northern Illinois?

A hall equipped with pool tables, bowling alleys and a gymnasium, which could be converted into an auditorium when lectures, plays, debates and musicals are given, would within a short time pay for itself. Every society, every lodge, even individuals, would gladly pay a fixed rental or give a certain percent of the gate receipts in order to present to the public their entertainment. The village would not be the loser.

But not only that, new life would be injected into our young people. Probably even some of our old conservatives would return to their youth again. New ways of spending their evenings would be offered them. They could attend Buncoes, basket ball games, political meetings and elevating lectures. Most of us are dispensing with all these now, and those who do attend entertainments of this nature, carry good Mokena money to Chicago, to Joliet, or one of our near by villages. Our town board should make it possible that Mokena's money stays in Mokena.

The greatest argument for a hall, however, is that it will establish a better understanding among our young people and will help them to gather socially. Societies will be organized; debating clubs will be formed; an orchestra and a band will be called into existence; athletic clubs will spring into being; and the town may even eventually be able to talk of its Young Peoples League.

By all means, build us a hall,
Mr. Snooks

To the Editor:—

Your issue of the 12th inst. informs us that our village board passed an ordinance to tax in 1925 every automobile owner living in Mokena the sum of five dollars.

This is an unjust tax, and the resolution ought to be rescinded by aldermen. Why should a person living within the village limits, who is either fortunate or else unfortunate enough to own an automobile, be forced to pay annually five dollars, while those living in the rural districts, who use the streets just as much, yes, even more than the village residents, go free? There are ever so many people living in the village who seldom use their automobiles on week days, and very often on Sundays, they leave it parked in the garage, while, comes to town at least once a week for shopping purposes, and transports all his grain in heavy wagons over our pavements, yet the city man is taxed, and the farmer goes free.

Simply because other village boards practice this injustice on their constituents is no reason why our board should follow in their foot steps.
E. L. P.

Church and Sunday School

ORLAND M. E. CHURCH.
Rev. Collins, Pastor.

Next Sunday evening at 7:30 the choir gives a cantata. On Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, the Sunday School will give their Christmas program, beginning at 7:30. A beautiful lighted tree will be in evidenced and gifts will be distributed by the Sunday School.

On Sunday evening Dec. 28 at 7:30 the pictures of "The Other Wise Men," by Van Dyke, will be shown, after the radio concert at 7 o'clock. A new feature to the Sunday evening service, is the different church societies having charge of the first part of the evening service. Last Sunday night the Bible class was in charge, this coming Sunday, the choir, next the Epworth League and next the Ladies Guild.

CHRIST LUTH. CHURCH, Orland.
Rev. Walter Greve, Pastor.

A Christmas program will be given by the children of the Sunday school at 7:30 Christmas Eve. This service will be in English. On Christmas Day at 10:00 A. M. will be services in the German language, and also at 10 A. M. Sunday Dec. 28. Dec. 31st at 7:30 P. M. will be English sylvester service with communion.

ST. PETER'S EVAN. Frankfort.
Rev. G. Lambrecht, Pastor.

On Christmas Eve the Sunday school will give their Christmas program consisting of speaking, singing, dialogues and a cantata. A tree and gifts will also be on the program.

On Christmas Day at 10:30 A. M. there will be services and communion. The annual church meeting will take place at 1 P. M. January 2nd.

FRANKFORT M. E. CHURCH
Rev. Duncan, Pastor.

On Christmas Eve at 7:30 the Sunday school will give their program, which will consist of a cantata entitled The Hope of the World and also other recitations, dialogues and a Pantomime. A fine tree and gifts to please the children and all.

PALOS PARK PRES. CHURCH.
On Sunday morning Dec. 22 the play will be given called, "The White Christmas. In the evening the Christian Endeavor will give a pageant showing the, "Christ Child". The following Tuesday evening Santa will be present to distribute the candy to the children.

WORTH M. E. CHURCH.
A Christmas Cantata, "Santa Claus and Others", will be given on Christmas Eve Dec. 24 by the Sunday school of the Methodist church. The usual tree and gifts goes as always. Everybody welcome.

TINLEY PARK
Bachelors Grove Lutheran Church
Wm. Greve, Pastor.

Regular services will be held next Sunday at 10 A. M. Sermon on the Epistle Lesson Phil. 4: 4-7 Subject: "The Joy of a Christian during the season of Advent."

On Christmas Eve Dec. 24, at 7 o'clock a special children's service will be conducted in both the German and English languages.

On Dec. 25 and 26 special Christmas services will take place at 10 A. M. in the German language.

Sunday after Christmas, Dec. 28 the regular German services will be held in the morning at 10 o'clock. At 7:30 P. M. a special English Christmas service will take place. If you are not a member elsewhere, you are cordially invited to attend our services and worship the Christ Child at our church.

ZION LUTH. CHURCH, Tinley Pk.
Rev. A. Budenhagen, Pastor.

Christmas program will be given Christmas eve by the Sunday school and choir. Plans are being made for special music. About 70 children will take part in the program which begins at 7:30 P. M.

On Christmas Day special service will be held at the regular morning hour of worship and also on the 2d Christmas Day.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH
Rev. Jochin, Pastor.

The Christmas program will be given by the Sunday school on Dec. 24, Christmas Eve at 7 o'clock. There will be special music and features and a tree.

On Christmas Morning services will be held at the usual hour.

ENGLISH M. E. CHURCH
Rev. Roof, Pastor.

A Christmas program will be given on Tuesday Dec. 23rd, at 7:30 P. M. Songs, recitations etc., and a tree will be pleasing features.

M. E. CHURCH, New Lenox
Rev. Frye, Pastor.

The Christmas program will be given on Wed. evening Dec. 24 at 7:45 by the Sunday school. The main feature will be a cantata. On this coming Sunday evening Rev. Rempel of Joliet will preach. Beginning the first Sunday evening in January the pastor will give a series of five lectures with moving pictures to illustrate, on places in Egypt and Palestine where he has been.

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
New Lenox

A Christmas tree and service will be held Sunday Evening

MOKENA
St. Luke's Evangelical
Rev. Wm. Kreis, Pastor.

The Sunday school will present their annual Christmas program on Christmas Eve at 8 o'clock. The primary, Junior and Senior departments and the choir will render a number of pantomimes in which the Biblical story of Christmas will be acted out and the various characters presented. This will be something entirely new and beautiful. Candies books and other gifts will be distributed among the pupils of the Sunday School.

The choir, Sunday school pupils and teachers have all labored hard and earnestly to make this program a success and everyone in the community is heartily invited to come and enjoy the program.

On Christmas Day morning the regular Christmas services will be held at 10:30 o'clock in German and the Holy Communion will also be observed.

This coming Sunday morning the services will be as follows:
Sunday School 9:30 a. m., German services 10:30 o'clock. The choir will sing two anthems "O Zion That Bringest Good Tidings" and "Arise and Shine". There will be

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To accommodate the growing demand for "de luxe" accommodations on California, the Rock Island Lines will institute a special train service to the West, starting December 28, according to officials of this road.

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no evening service. All the tea choir members, etc., will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the church to complete final arrangements for Christmas program.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. A. R. Mangum

On Tuesday evening at 7:30 P. M. a service will be given by the Sunday school. There will be a short play.

Surprise are some features of the program. The usual tree and gifts and the awarding of merit gifts and diplomas and seals will take place at this time. There are four scholars who have not missed a Sunday the past year and many others who only missed a few.

IMMANUEL LUTH. CHURCH
Rev. Hennig, Pastor.

German services will be conducted next Sunday morning at 10:30 The Bible class and Sunday school meets at 9:30. Ladies Aid meeting Sunday afternoon at 2:30

On Christmas Eve at 8 o'clock the children will render their program in the English language and Christmas services will be conducted in German at 10:30 in the morning on Christmas Day.

MARLEY
The Marley church will hold annual Christmas program on Christmas eve at 7:30 o'clock. The feature on the program will be a cantata entitled "Santa Berrows' trouble" and in addition there will be other musical numbers. Old Santa will be there in all his glory, also Christmas tree.



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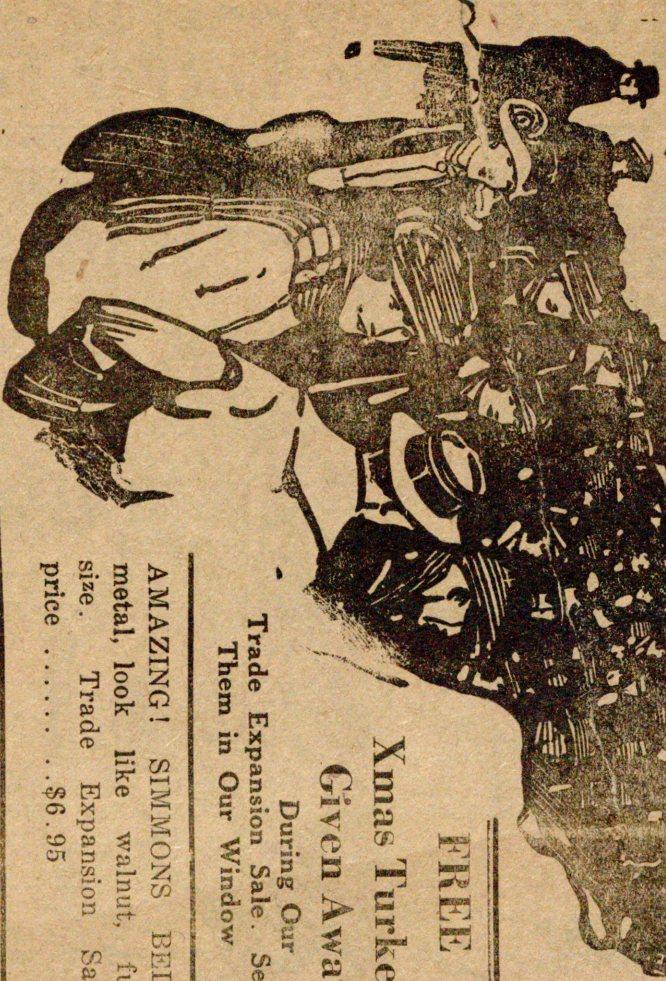
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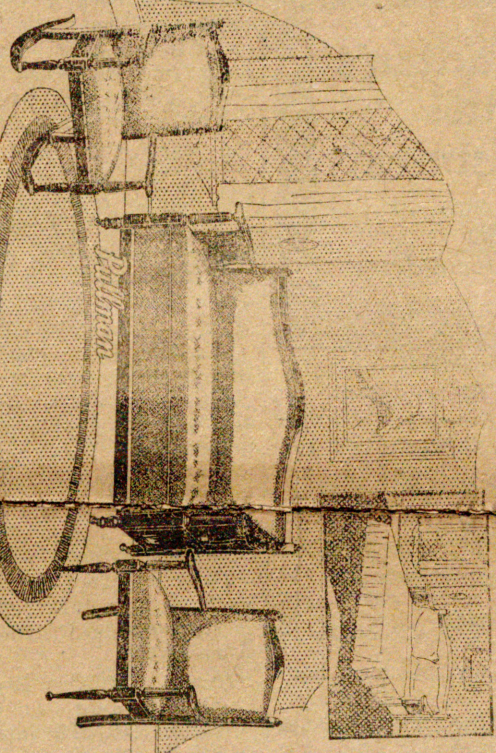
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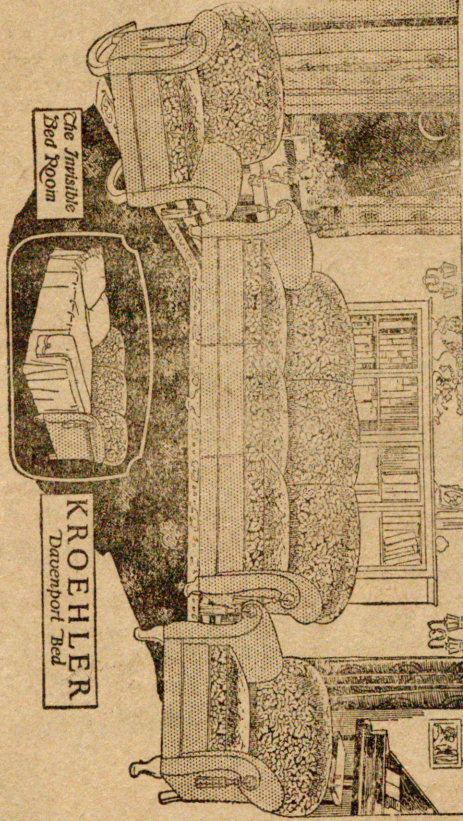


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WORTH

Mrs. J. Martin, our Wabash R.R. Agent is ill at the Blue Island hospital with appendicitis.

Master Everett Tesoro is at the German Deaconess hospital in Chicago with an attack of appendicitis. Mr. C. G. Rust, Harold Perrin, and Ed. Conway have completed the filling for their new cement sidewalks, which they will lay in the spring.

Oak Hill golf club on 80th Ave., and 131st street is giving a daily fee course and have about completed their maximum membership of 150 members. This is one of the finest golf links in Cook County.

The second entertainment of the series sent out by the Runner Star Service was well attended Friday night Dec. 12. These entertainments are being give at the Worth church under the auspices of the Ladies Aid society. Watch for the date of the next one.

Another 450 feet of filling for cement sidewalks has been completed, being the walks to the school house. 200 feet more will put that in line for cement early in spring. Come on Mr. Proebey and be with us.

Mrs. H. P. Woods entertained the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church Thursday evening. After the meeting, refreshments were served.

L. J. Biedenhopf celebrated his birthday last week by inviting a some friends and relatives to spend the evening with him. Cards were played and a good time enjoyed. Geo. Mikelson has just completed moving and remodeling a new home John Ludwig and Lee Taylor helped. Mr. A. W. Bort has returned home from the University hospital where he was ill for two weeks. He is now feeling fine.

MARLEY

Wednesday evening the Dramatic club of the Homer Congregational church gave a play at the Marley church entitled "Frank Glynn's Wife". There were musical numbers and an oyster supper served after. It was much enjoyed.

The Sunday school scholars will practice at the church Saturday at 1.30 for Christmas.

There will be no services at the Marley church this Sunday evening as it was decided to attend the services at New Lenox. M. E. church and hear Dad Rompel speak on Law Enforcement.

The Lauffer and Hadley school will close Friday for two weeks vacation.

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Tinley Pupils Win Prizes in Better Home Lighting

Joy bells rang for Lyril Francis and Wilbur Poat, both pupils of the Tinley school Tuesday morning as they each received a letter from the Public Service Company notifying them they had won one of the many prizes offered by this company in their recent "Better Home Lighting" contest which closed sometime ago. The prizes consist of a gold fountain pen for each. Both contestants had entered a 600 word essay each on better home lighting.

NEW LENOX

The home improvement club met at the home of Mrs. Earl Kora on Wednesday afternoon and had a Christmas party.

Little Milton Borgess who is living at the Wm. Werner home, had a minor operation last Saturday at Silver Cross hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Urch spent the week end at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. Richards in Joliet.

The following officers were elected at the Royal Neighbor meeting last Tuesday evening at the hall:

Oracle- Mrs. Daisy Lorgier, Vice Oracle- Mrs. Anna Kennedy, Past Oracle- Mrs. Josie Sayers, Recorder- Mrs. Edna Deadmore, Receiver- Mrs. Lillian McLeary, Chancellor- Mrs. Eli Button, Inner Sentinel- Mrs. Frank Alexandre, Outer Sentinel- Mrs. Hattie Pugh, Manager 3 years- Mrs. O. P. Pease, Manager 2 year- Mrs. Edna Beadle, Marshal- Mrs. Eunice Urch, Asst. Marshal- Mrs. Maud Spaulber, Musician- Miss Merna Alexandre. Mrs. Stella Daily had charge of the meeting and she was also chosen as delegate to the convention in Decatur. These officers will be installed the 2nd Tuesday in January.

The Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church gave a card party last Thursday and good time was enjoyed.

Clyde Batson had the misfortune of having a finger amputated at the Presbyterian hospital in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Urch and family visited last week with the former's brother, Leslie in Decatur.

Wm. Green a well known old time resident, surprised his friends last Thursday by paying them a visit after an absence of 22 years, living now in Seattle, Wash., and is now on his way to Florida. Mr. Green was entertained at dinner in the J. C. Urch home, and for supper at the L. Pelkey home.

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FRANKFORT

The Frankfort Royal Neighbors elected the following officers at their meeting Wednesday night: Oracle- Mrs. Katharine Warning, Vice Oracle- Mrs. Emma C. Marti, Recorder- Mrs. Bertha Neiland, Receiver- Mrs. Mable Warning, Chancellor- Mrs. Bertha Stephens, Marshal- Mrs. Ida Baumann, Asst. Marshal- To be named, Inner Sentinel- Mrs. Christian Bennet, Outer Sentinel- Mrs. Freida Marti, Past Oracle- Mrs. Laura Folkers, Managers- Mrs. Ida Lankenau and Mrs. Charlotte Folkers.

Mrs. K. Warning was chosen delegate and Mrs. Freida Marti, alternate, to the convention at Decatur. The following is the Christmas program to be given at the Frankfort Methodist church on Christmas eve:

Choir Cantata "The Hope of the World."

Responsive Readings and Prayer. Recitation "A Believer In Santa Claus."

Choir "And There Were Shepherds" with Violin obligato, Grace Kohlhagen

Recitation "Our Best." Dialogue "Christmas Sunshine Bringers."

Recitation "Why Stockings Are Hung Up at Christmas."

Saxophone Solo "Fragrant Flowers" by Walter Herschbach

Recitation "A Fairy Story." Dialogue "The Loveliest Star."

Recitation "Johnny's Christmas Tree."

Recitation "The Gladdest Time." Dialogue "Great Joy."

Recitation "My Invited Guest." Recitation "Beautiful, Beautiful Story."

A Pantomime "At The Call Of The Bell."

Recitation "The Song of Heaven." Recitation "What Makes Christmas?" Dialogue "The Sweetest Word."

Recitation "Christmas Is The Giving Time." Collection

Choir "Sing, O Heavens" Ashford. Sunday morning Service Dec. 21st 10:45 Frankfort M. E. Church.

Choir "Oh, Little Town of Bethlehem."

Male Quartette "The Guiding Star" Choir "Incarnation" Harrington Mrs. Wesley Hollestein, director of music.

Miss Eloise Kohlhagen, Pianist. Sermon subject "The Birth of Jesus" Text; St. Matth. 1: 23. "Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shall bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us."

MOKENA

A eight pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Barney Hostert at Silver Cross hospital Joliet, on Monday morning.

Dorothy Neilsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Neilsen is ill with pneumonia, a trained nurse being in attendance.

Miss Gretrude Neilsen is confined to bed with a attack of grip.

Miss Florence Cooper returned to her home Thursday from Silver Cross where she had underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Miss Jones, teacher at Mokena public school is confined to bed with the grip. Miss Norton, another teacher at the same school was absent from school a few days on account of a touch of grip.

Mr. Chas. Newens, living south of the Bowman dairy, fell on the ice Thursday and broke his wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz entertained a few friends Thursday night. Cards were played after which lunch was served.

Mrs. Ed. Werner is on the sick list.

On Christmas morning at the Catholic church in Mokena the following masses will held: at 6 A.M. one right after this one and another one at 10 A. M.

Marcus Liess returned to his home in Montana Monday.

Mr. John Gilmore, who has been in poor health for the past year or so, is not quite as well as usual. The Bunco party given by the St. Mary's church, Mkenaa, at the John Horras home on Wednesday evening, was well attended and a good time enjoyed.

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Feb. 12—Emil Marquardt, Richton

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A very severe sleet storm has been sweeping this section of the country the past few days. Trees have broken down under the very heavy ice coat, also telephone and telegraph wires. The Public Service lines went out Thursday night at Mokena which left the town in darkness. About mid night the service was restored again. Many radio aerals have also broken down under the icy coating. Many autos were ditched on the Lincoln Highway and other concrete by icy pavements. The bus lines were all so much effected by the sleet.

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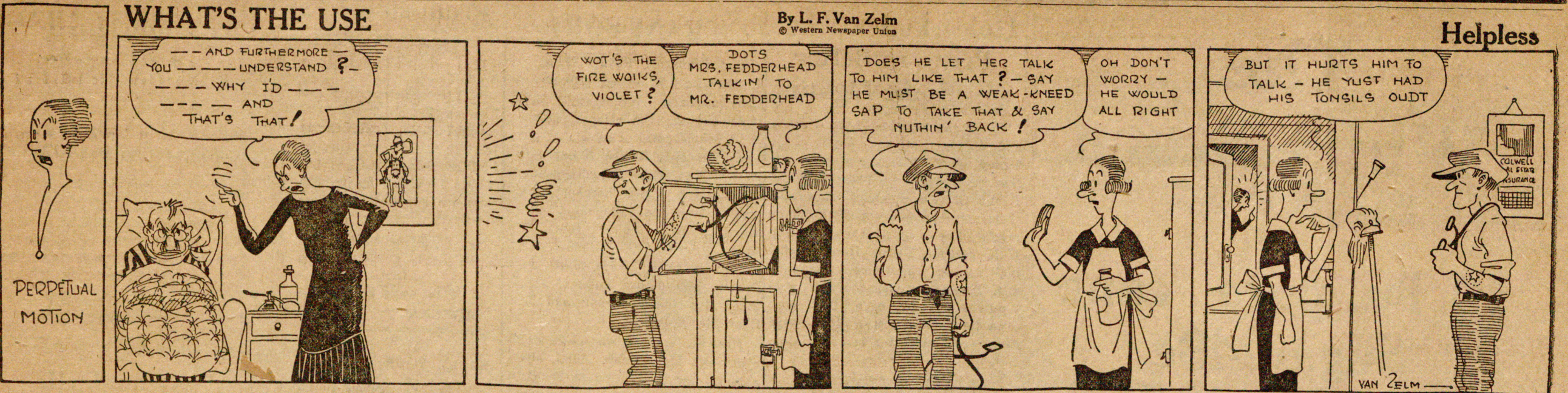
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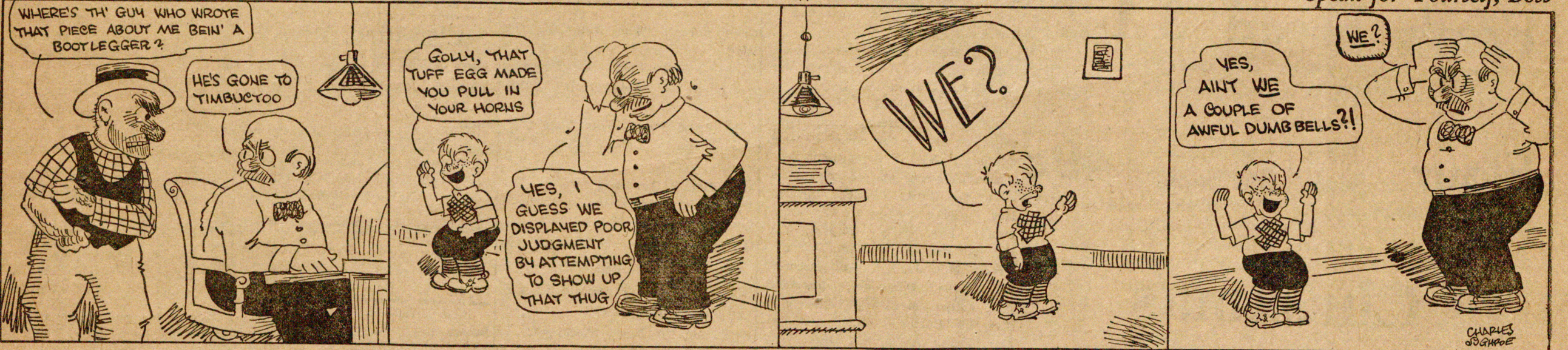
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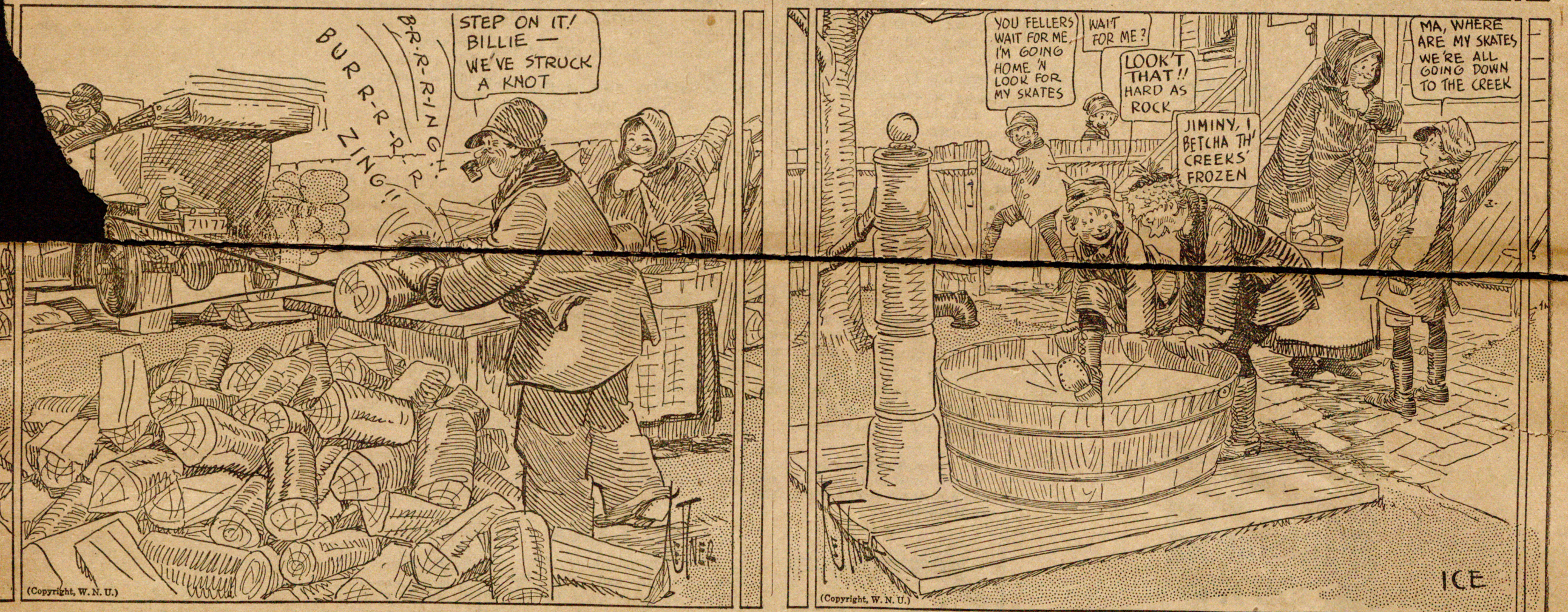
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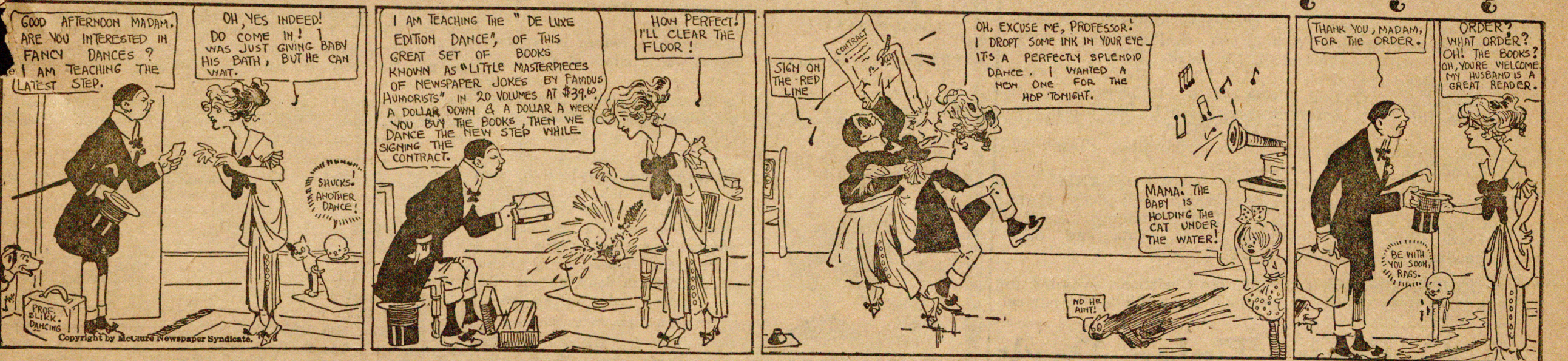


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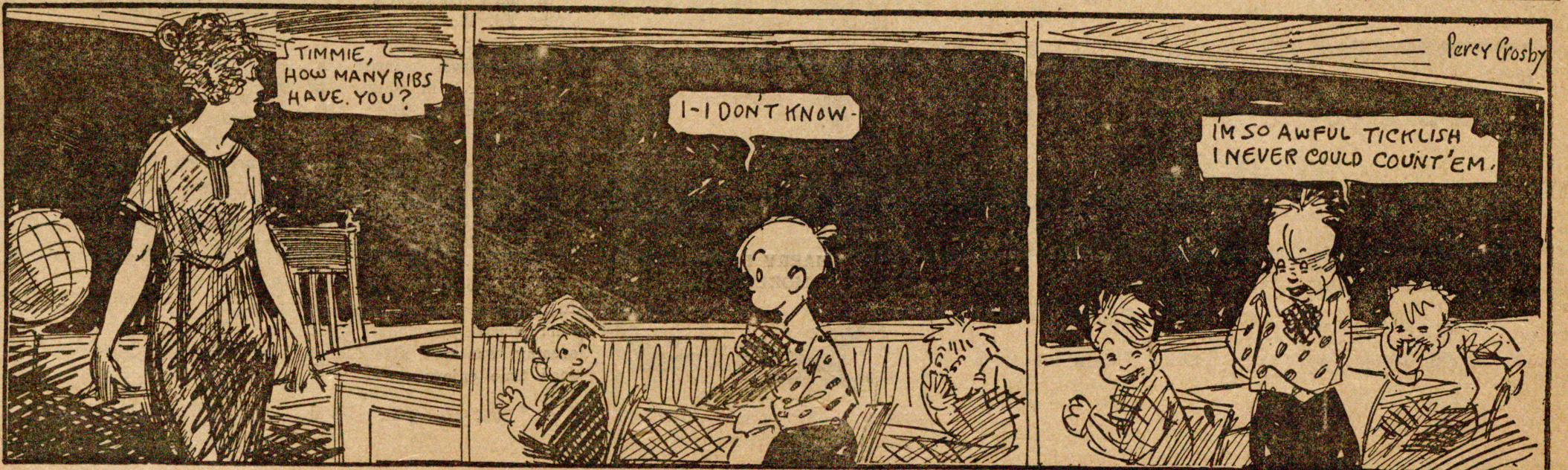


The Clancy Kids

The Idea!



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News of the Week Cut Down for Busy Readers

Washington—

Foreign commerce moved in American flag vessels during the last fiscal year fell off slightly from that of the previous year, according to a review issued at Washington by the bureau of research of the shipping board.

Distribution costs eat up approximately 95 per cent of the spread between what the farmer gets for his product and what is paid for it by the consumer, according to a report made at Washington by the Department of Agriculture on a series of studies of the subject just completed. "Middlemen," commonly believed by farmers and others to be profiteers, get only about 5 per cent of the consumer's price, it was found.

All government-owned islands in the waters off the Florida coast were reserved from settlement in an executive order signed at Washington.

The death of Vice Consul Henry A. Dayton, shot several days ago in Belgrade, was reported to the State department at Washington.

Construction of branch libraries in 50 wards of Chicago and an addition to the present main building, at a cost of \$3,000,000, was requested of the mayor and council by the library board.

The first step of the present congress toward bringing the United States navy up to a parity with that of Great Britain under the 5-5-3 arms limitation treaty was taken when the senate at Washington passed the cruiser and battleship rehabilitation bill calling for a construction and alteration program, carrying approximately \$140,000,000. The bill now goes to the President for his signature.

Senator Fess introduced in the senate at Washington a bill to provide for the choice of an officer who shall act as President in the event a President and vice president shall not have been elected and qualified as provided by law.

The house passed the agriculture appropriation bill, carrying \$124,000,000, of which \$80,000,000 is to be available for road construction. As sent to the senate, the bill appropriates about \$59,000,000 more than last year, but carries several million dollars less than was allowed in the budget estimates for the next fiscal year.

Domestic—

Ashland, Wis., is digging itself out of one of the worst snowstorms experienced in years. Snow drifted to a height of six and seven feet and exhibitors at the grain show were forced to travel by snowshoes.

Charles E. Ruthenberg, secretary of the Workers' party and prominent member of the Communist party, was held guilty of violation of the syndicalism law by the State Supreme court at Lansing, Mich.

Charles G. Dawes, vice president-elect, has accepted the invitation to speak before the annual meeting of the Idaho Wool Growers' association at Boise, January 12, 13, it is announced.

Federal Judge Hand of New York granted a motion to include Charles A. Stoneham, part owner of the New York Giants, in the proceedings against E. M. Fuller & Co., convicted "bucket shop" operators.

Secretary Work has authorized a sale at public auction of oil leases on 25,000 acres of the Osage Indian reservation in Oklahoma, to be held December 18.

Heirs of Mrs. Augusta Lehmann, widow of the founder of The Fair at Chicago, must pay nearly \$1,000,000 in income taxes, according to an opinion handed down by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

Fire starting in several places razed three blocks of the business section of Cromwell, Okla., with a loss of \$200,000.

A monument to Theodore Roosevelt as colonel of the Rough Riders was unveiled at Santiago by his widow.

A gift of \$200,000 from friends and relatives of the late John Crosby Brown to erect a Gothic memorial tower on Union Theological seminary at New York has been announced.

Twenty-five students were dismissed from Texas A. and M. college for hazing. The faculty policy has been to require every student found guilty of hazing to withdraw.

Fourteen frame store buildings in Huron avenue, the principal street in Bad Axe, Mich., were destroyed by fire of undetermined origin. The loss is estimated at more than \$200,000.

The Cheyenne State bank failed to open its doors. Liabilities at the time of the last statement were \$1,000,000.

Property loss estimated at \$1,000,000 was caused by a fire which swept St. Louis compress No. 1, property recently acquired by the Pine Bluff Cotton and Warehouse company at Pine Bluff, Ark.

Jack Wakefield, preparatory school football player and former member of the St. Louis National league baseball team, shot and killed himself at Memphis, Tenn. He had quarreled with his fiancée.

With the starting of two more open-hearth furnaces, making 45 active of 52, steel mills in the Youngstown district will continue their march toward capacity operations, plant schedules show.

Gilbert McNicoll, former chief United States customs inspector at Honolulu, was arrested on a charge of smuggling merchandise ashore from the steamer President Cleveland on June 6.

Gen. James A. Drain, commander of the American legion, went into conference at Chicago with Chicago and Illinois legion leaders on a campaign to open January 1 for a \$5,000,000 welfare fund.

Bruce A. Shaw, wealthy inventor and manufacturer of Oak Park, Ill., was fatally stabbed by a sailor by his son George, a shell-shocked veteran of the World war. The wound, which resulted in Mr. Shaw's death, was inflicted after a struggle between father and son at their home.

Leading dental authorities of Canada, Europe and Australasia have accepted invitations to deliver addresses at the sixty-second annual convention of the Chicago Dental society, to be held in Chicago January 21, 22 and 23.

Personal—

Frederick Prime Delafield of the law firm of Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, an authority on banking and commercial law and issuance of securities, died at his home in New York. He was fifty-six years old.

Theodore Frank Appleby, representative in congress from the Third district of New Jersey, died in Baltimore, Md., at Johns Hopkins hospital, following an operation.

Martin H. Glynn, former governor of New York, died suddenly at Albany. Death was pronounced due to heart trouble.

Frederick Ernest Moore, former stage partner of Al Jolson and for many years manager of theatrical enterprises, died at Atlantic City, N. J. He was fifty-three years old.

Thomas Ince, motion picture producer, who died at Los Angeles last month after falling ill aboard a yacht in San Diego harbor, left an estate of approximately \$4,000,000, it was revealed by Charles Fourri of counsel for the executors. Virtually all of the estate goes to the producer's widow and three children.

August Belmont, financier and sportsman, and one of New York's wealthiest men, died in his apartment at 550 Park avenue. Mr. Belmont, who was seventy-one years old, died of cellulitis.

Mrs. Carolina Putnam Ream, widow of Norman B. Ream, died at her home at Pomfret, Conn., after failing health of two years. She was seventy-two years of age. Her husband died in 1912, leaving an estate estimated at about \$40,000,000, the bulk of which was inherited by the widow.

Representative Julius Kahn, veteran California legislator, is ill at his home in San Francisco. It is not probable that Mr. Kahn will be able to attend this session of congress.

Foreign—

Demands affecting 700,000 British railway workers and adding £10,000,000 (roughly \$47,000,000) to the annual pay rolls of the companies were presented at London by the National Union of Railwaymen.

The British admiralty at London announced the retirement of Lord Jellicoe. He commanded the grand fleet in the battle of Jutland, and afterward was first sea lord of the admiralty.

Baron von Maltzan, newly appointed ambassador to the United States, announced at Berlin that he would take up the task assigned with the aim of carrying out the Dawes plan.

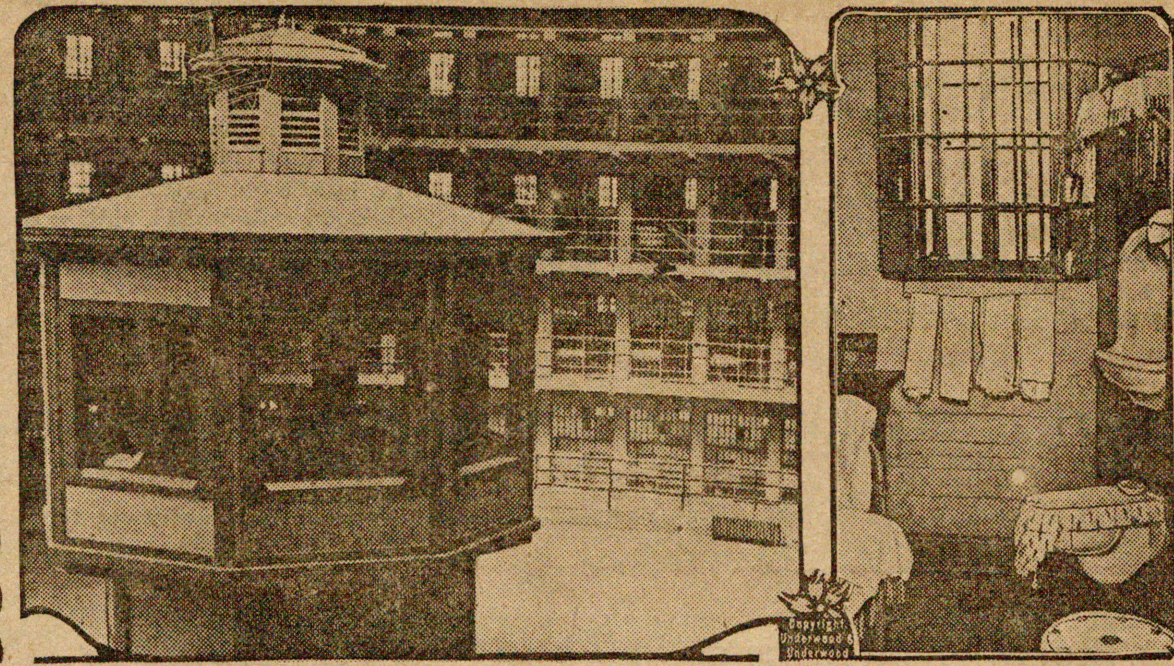
Mrs. Hamilton Wright presented an American petition to the plenary session of the international opium conference at Geneva, which she said had been signed by a large proportion of the United States population.

With the withdrawal of the Spanish troops from Chechouan to Ben Karick, Primo de Rivera has prepared to set permanent lines along the Tetuan front, says a Madrid dispatch.

The newspaper Nichi Nichi of Tokyo published a dispatch stating the police have foiled a plot to assassinate Premier Kato and have arrested Chotaro Goto, who, it is alleged, has confessed that he had planned to kill the premier with a sword.

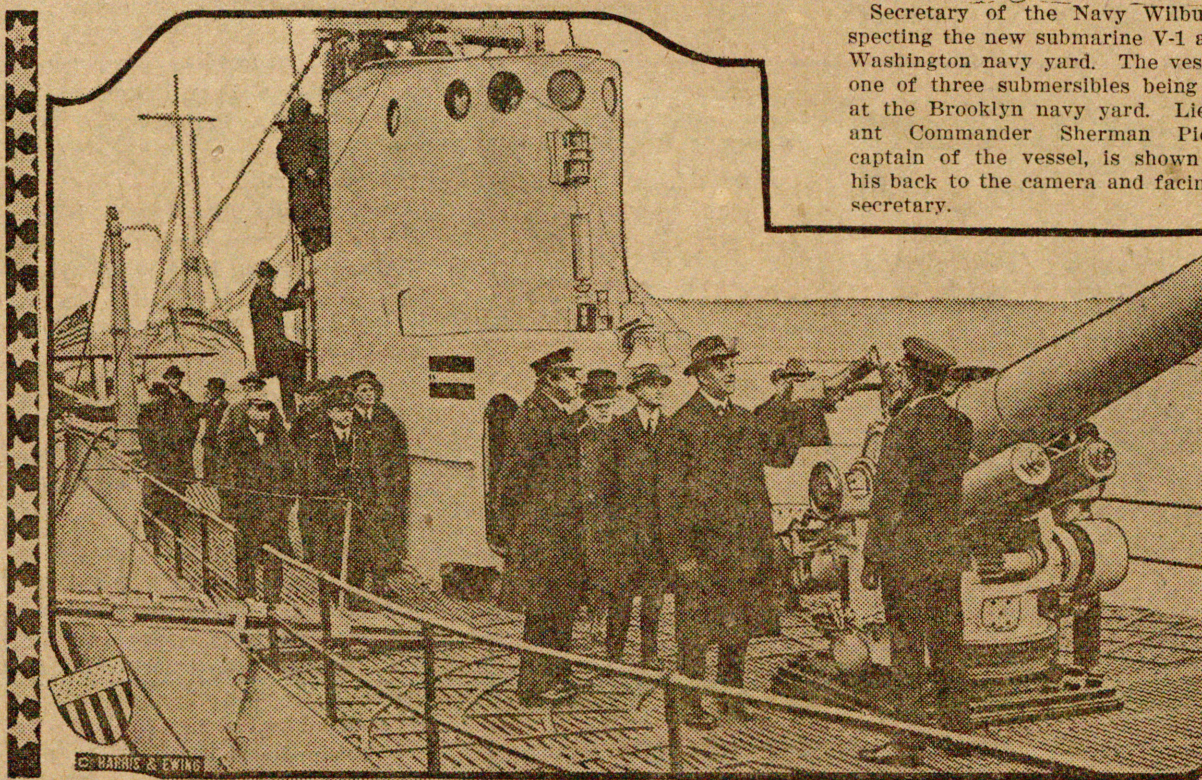
The number of known dead of the Kwanto, special service ship, which sank during a storm off Tsuruga, has reached 40, says a Tokyo dispatch. It is believed that the total loss of life will be 100 out of the 208 aboard.

Convicts Now Made Comfortable in Illinois



The new penitentiary at Stateville, six miles north of Joliet, Ill., has just been formally opened. It comprises a series of circular cell houses in which each convict will have a comfortable outside room, neatly decorated and healthful. The illustration shows part of the interior of one of the units and one of the rooms.

New Submarine Is Inspected by Secretary Wilbur



Secretary of the Navy Wilbur inspecting the new submarine V-1 at the Washington navy yard. The vessel is one of three submarines being built at the Brooklyn navy yard. Lieutenant Commander Sherman Pickens, captain of the vessel, is shown with his back to the camera and facing the secretary.

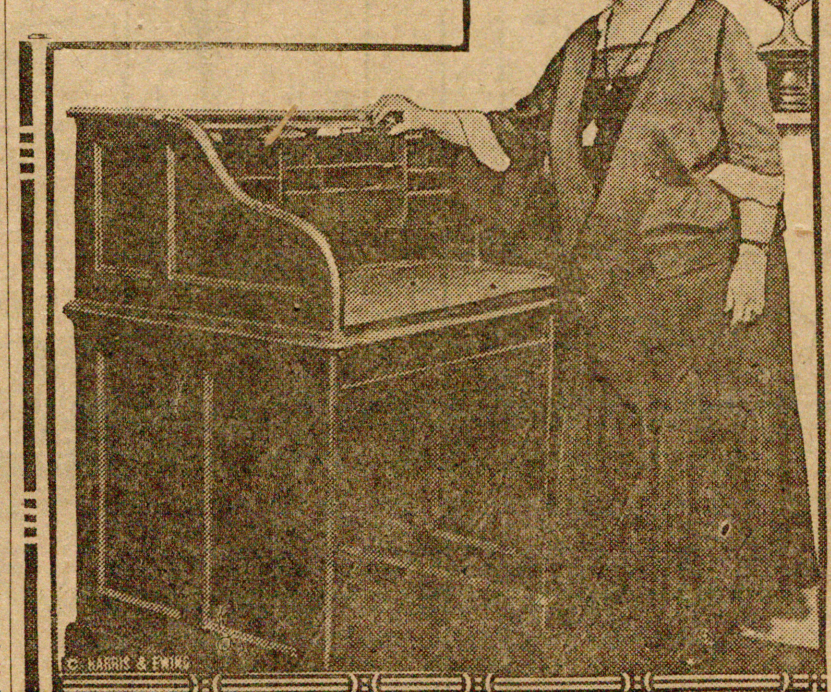
New Union Station Opened in Ogden



There was a great celebration in Ogden, Utah, when the new union railway station was opened. Here is a "baggage crew" of young society ladies that participated in the festivities.

Prized Relic for Women Voters

Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, former vice chairman of the executive committee of the Republican national committee, standing beside the desk used by Susan B. Anthony, the suffrage pioneer. Miss Anthony willed the desk to Mrs. Upton, who has turned it over to the National League of Women Voters until the time when it will be placed in a national museum.

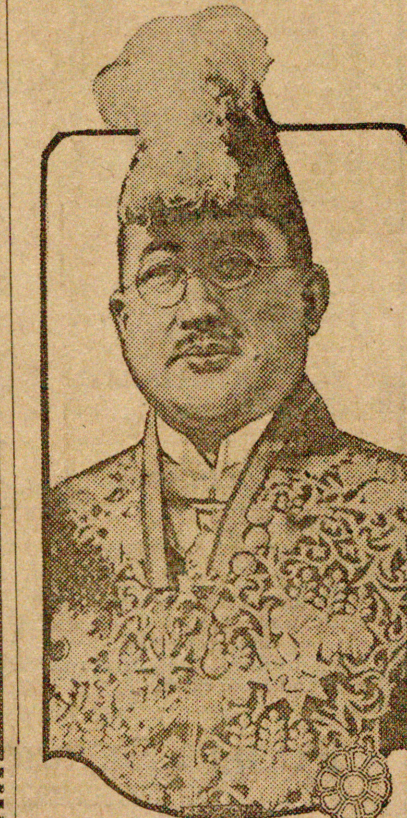


HER TEETH THE BEST



Miss Zara Guidarova displaying her teeth, which were declared the most perfect and beautiful of all the teeth displayed by 70,000 candidates examined by five of the leading dental specialists in the country. The contest was held under the auspices of the mouth hygiene and health exhibit conducted by the allied dental council.

MAY BE JAP ENVOY



Tsuneo Matsudaira, vice minister of foreign affairs, is likely to be the new Japanese ambassador to the United States, according to reports from Tokyo.

PAY TRIBUTE TO WILSON MEMORY

Coolidge and Former Associates of War President Join in Services.

Washington.—Congress and those who had intimate connection with the private and public life of Woodrow Wilson paid tribute to his memory in the chamber of the house of representatives.

Former cabinet officers, members of the Supreme court and envoys of foreign governments, with Mrs. Wilson and members of his family and special guests, sat with the senators and representatives as Dr. Edwin A. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia and a lifelong friend of the war President, delivered the formal oration.

President Coolidge and his entire cabinet participated in the exercises, as did Chief Justice Taft and other members of the Supreme court. Mrs. Coolidge was in the executive gallery.

Speaking from the same rostrum where Wilson delivered his messages to congress, Doctor Alderman denied there could be anything of "failure" in his great attempt as President.

"If there was failure, it was humanity's failure," he said.

"I envisage him rather as a victor and a conqueror. To make him the one undaunted advocate of the world's hopes, the scapegoat of a world collapse, is to visit upon him an injustice so cruel that it must perish of its own reason."

Mrs. Wilson, clad in black, occupied a front seat directly in front of the speaker's stand. She sat quietly, her eyes continually on Doctor Alderman.

The services were broadcast through a specially arranged system of radio stations, which those in charge estimated made them audible to more than half the population of the United States.

Hoover for Strict Laws to Curb Auto Deaths

Washington.—The automobile stands as the only source of accidental deaths that have not been reduced by new methods in industry and commerce and policing, Secretary Hoover declared in an address opening a national conference on street safety.

Automobile operation has increased the rate of accidents in the last few years, the secretary said. "The automobile has become a necessity in America. It is now necessary to devise constructive measures that will preclude the possibility of tens of thousands of automobile deaths annually and hundreds of thousands of personal injuries as well as a staggering economic loss attending."

While the automobile is the greatest social and economic development of the last twenty years, he said, we must reduce its terrors if we are to wish for its fullest development.

Secretary Hoover indicated three broad methods of approach to a remedy. These would be through prevention and safeguard, through much more rigid punishment for violation of the rights of others and through public education as to the responsibilities of motor vehicle driving.

Soviet Objects to U. S. Sign on Russian Soil

Moscow.—An American sign on Russian soil, announcing in bold letters that anyone who molested the would be fined \$250 or imprisoned, riled the Soviet foreign office caused the dispatch of a sharp note to the United States forbidding their violation of Soviet territory.

The object of discussion is a tablet inscribed: "United States Geodetic Survey—Magnetic Station—Disturbance. Punishable by a Fine of \$250, or Imprisonment."

This tablet, with its warning, is in the possession of the Soviet union government. It was found on Thekutsk peninsula in Emma bay, Cape Pisino. The peninsula is a little-frequented region. The tablet was placed there in 1920 by the officers of the Bear, a U. S. coast guard vessel which annually sails the northern seas, relieving distress and gathering geodetic information.

George Tchitcherin, Soviet foreign minister, has been exercised over the visit of the Bear to the northern shore of his country.

Mob in Tennessee Hangs Wounded Negro to Tree

Nashville, Tenn.—Samuel Smith, fifteen-year-old negro, who shot Ike Eastwood, a grocer, and was shot by the wounded man, was taken from the general hospital by masked men and hanged to a tree near his victim's home.

Asks \$5,000 for Mrs. Wilson

Washington.—Representative La Guardia, Republican, New York, introduced a resolution in the house of representatives to authorize the payment of a \$5,000 annuity to Edith Bolling Wilson.

St. Peter Bank Closed

St. Paul, Minn.—The Citizens' State Bank of St. Peter, with deposits of about \$470,000, was closed because "of slow Montana paper," it is announced.

Palos Park

Miss McDermott teacher of the little room in District 118 was ill a few days last week and Miss Pries substituted during her absence.

The West End Club met at the home of Mrs. Benjamin Hyink on last Friday.

The Ladies Aid of the Palos Park Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Edward Hyink last Tuesday. A delicious luncheon was served by the hostess.

The Presbyterian church had the opportunity of having Mr. L. Lyman, a blind man from Chicago speak to them on last Sunday.

He spoke at the morning service and played the organ at the evening's service and also led the Christian Endeavor.

The church and Sunday school are very busy practicing for Xmas.

All those who were at the morning service last Sunday, had the pleasure of hearing Wm. Mahaffy and Lester Mahaffy sing, "Why Stand Ye There Idle". We hope to have more out the next Sunday to hear the Xmas program. Don't forget the date is Dec. 21st in the morning and December 23, in the evening. Every body welcome.

The dance given by the Wulagon club was a big success. All present had a good time.

The community of Palos Park are giving a doll show Saturday evening Dec. 24 at the Improvement club house. It is hoped there will be a big turn out.

Miss Blenda Thorsell was married last week. The newly weds are living in Chicago.

PUBLICATION NOTICE.

CHANCERY.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of

Will County, A. D. 1925.

vs. Elizabeth (sometimes known as Lizabeth)

VS.

George Agacutti,

Julius Zar,

the unknown heirs

of H.K. Stevens,

D. Heise, Trust-

holder or holders

of Notes secured by Trust Deed

dated June 7, 1909, Recorded in

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Will County, Illinois, Alfred J.

Stoos, Trustee, the unknown holder

of the Note secured by Trust Deed

dated October 19, 1920, recorded in

Book 555 at page 98 in the Re-

corde's Office of Will County,

Illinois, Thomas J. McGrath, the

unknown heirs at law and devisees

of Thomas J. McGrath, Deceased,

Mary McGrath, the unknown heirs at

law and devisees of Mary McGrath,

Deceased, the unknown heirs at

law and devisees of any deceased

person who may have been inter-

ested, previous to his or her death,

Lots Five (5) and Six (6) in

Smith's Subdivision of Out-

lot (10) in Casseday's Addi-

tion, Joliet, Will County, Illinois,

also Lot Forty-two (42) in

Smith's Subdivision of Block

Eighteen (18), Canal Trust-

tees' Subdivision of the West Half

(W. 1-2) of Section Fifteen (15)

in Township Thirty-five (35)

North, Range Ten (10), East of

the Third Principal Meridian, in

Will County, Illinois.

Bill in Chancery, No. 32124.

Notice is hereby given to each and

all of the above named defendants

that the above named complainant

heretofore filed her bill of com-

plaint in said Court on the Chan-

cery side thereof, and that a sum-

mons thereupon issued out of said

Court against the above named de-

fendants, returnable on the first

day of the Term of the Circuit

Court of Will County, to be held at

the Court House in the City of Joliet,

in said Will County, on the first

Monday of January, A. D. 1925,

as is by law required, and which

suit is still pending.

Paul V. Wunder, Clerk.

Or & Brumund, Complainant's

Solicitors.

Joliet, Ill., December 4th, A.D. 1924

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Rock Island To Run New Trains to Coast

(continued from front page)

Splendid engines have been built by the American Locomotive Company for the service, and the road-bed has been improved. The new train will be on exhibition on Dec

27 at the La Salle st. station.

The "Golden State Express" will leave Chicago at 6 p. m., arriving in Los Angeles at 2:15 the third day. It will leave Los Angeles at 10 a. m., arriving in Chicago at 7:59 on the third day.

A third train known as the "California" will operate between Kansas City and Los Angeles.

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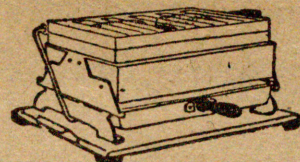
Sister will appreciate one of these handy appliances:



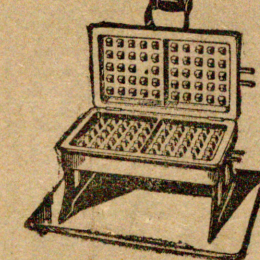
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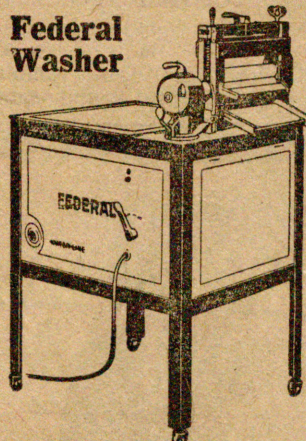


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TINLEY PARK

Harry W. Bettenhausen, our local Atwater Kent radio dealer reports a heavy demand for his radios so that as quick as he can get a set in it is sold. Mr. Bettenhausen says the radio fever is getting more stronger each day.

The cold, damp weather has been the cause of much grip and colds but no real serious cases have been reported.

J. C. Funk has been confined to his home for a few days by illness, but is able to be back at the store again.

Quite a number of young folks attended the masquerade at Frankfort Saturday night.

Mr. Bennett who is working for George Lorenz attended a football banquet at the Shaw dance pavilion near Joliet Tuesday night. Mr. Bennett has been playing with the Shabbona football team all summer.

Many of our hunters are anxiously waiting for a heavy snowfall so they can go rabbit hunting. So far hunting has been rather slim.

A car overturned on the concrete road near the Bert Fulton place north of Tinley Park Sunday night but as far as could be learned no one was hurt.

Mrs. Charles Andres who is on the sick list is somewhat improved.

Albert Ickstadt and a friend have assembled and installed a radio in the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. Ickstadt.

Mrs. Shelley who was seriously hurt in an auto accident at Goesselville two weeks ago and who has been in the Blue Island hospital has been removed to her home in Chicago and is improving.

While Harry Barenz was engaged in emptying some fertilizer from a bag on a golf club course near Orland, some of the fertilizer was blown in his face by a strong gust of wind and lodged in his eye. He has been under the care of Dr. Ickstadt and is improving.

Mr. Bennett expects to spend his Christmas in Mineral, Ill., with relatives.

Postmaster C. Andres reports a heavy rush of incoming Christmas mail.

The Luther League of the Zion Lutheran church has elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Martin Miller.

Vice-President, Alfred Hartman.

Secretary, Esther Messenbrink.

Treasurer, Mamie Mager.

The Luther League has purchased two new hymn boards which are to be presented to the church on Christmas.

The Ladies Aid of the Zion Lutheran church has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. F. Schmiedknecht Vice-President, Mrs. Hans Hartman.

Secretary, Mrs. John Boeyer. Treasurer, Mrs. Albert Boerner. George Stoeckman who has been very ill for several weeks is said to be showing signs of improvement.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Schilling was christened at the Bachelor Grove Lutheran church last Sunday and was christened Alice. The event was duly celebrated at the home of the parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Arnold are the proud parents of a son who was baptised last Sunday afternoon at the formers home in Blue Island. Rev. Wm. Greve officiating. The young man was named George Frederick William.

The aged mother of Geo. Schultz is quite ill at her home in Blue Island.

Harold Larimore, the infant son of Raymond Larimore, is improving nicely at the Blue Island hospital following a serious operation. He may be able to return to the home of his parents in Tinley Park in the next few days.

Postmaster C. Andres is having a number of improvements made at his home.

The Royal Neighbors of Tinley Park held an election of officers on Tuesday evening, Dec. 9th, with the following result:

Oracle, Mrs. Anna Clemens; Past Oracle, Mrs. Alice Anderson, Recorder, Mrs. Jennie L. Klepper, Receiver, Mrs. Ethel Wannemacher, Marshall, Mrs. Clara Maefing, Asst. Marshall, Mrs. Marie Gotham, Chancellor, Mrs. Francis Rowden, Manager, Mrs. Ingaborg Olson, Inner Sentinel, Mrs. Louise Goessel, Outer Sentinel, Mrs. Anna Messenbrink, Musician, Mrs. Emma Boldt.

ORLAND

The ton of coal donated by Chas. E. Haehnlein to the Immaculate Conception church was awarded to Mrs. O'Laughlin.

The Volunteer Fire Department gave a bunco at the Woodman hall Thursday Dec. 18. Prizes were awarded and lunch served. A fine time was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Burkhardt of Blue Island are the proud parents of a baby boy born at the Blue Island hospital. The mother will be remembered as Miss Anna Habenicht.

The Royal Neighbors and a few friends gathered at the home of Neighbor Loretta Ludwig for a social game of bunco. Mrs. E. M. 'owell took first prize, Mrs. Fred the second and Mrs. J. Wagner took the third.

Others present were; Mrs. Wm. Jackson, Mrs. Chas. Haehnlein Mrs. Thomas Wheeler, Mrs. Geo. Cox, Mrs. H.A. Cox, Helen Campbell Miss Agnes Weir, Mrs. Edw. Rust, Mrs. Munch and Mrs. Wm. Cox. A fine luncheon of sandwiches, cake, baked beans, pickles, cookies and coffee was served.

Dr. and Walter Schussler and I. A. Cleveland enjoyed a five day duck hunt at Beardstown, Ill., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McGovern have moved into the Schussler house recently vacated by I. A. Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mohr announce the birth of a son born at Burnside hospital. Mrs. Mohr was formerly Miss Hazel Homering of Palos Park.

Mrs. Harry Hallehon and children of Chicago spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. L. Nicolai.

Mr. Michiels, the contractor who built the Orland Catholic church has begun work on his new home on 143rd street.

Mr. Clayton Cleveland of Wis., is visiting his brother I. A. Cleveland.

Howard Creer is clerking in the Ames Creer store.

J. F. Schmadeke has improved his store by having his show cases wired for Xmas. Clarence Beasley doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heiling and children were recent guests at the Earl Reich home.

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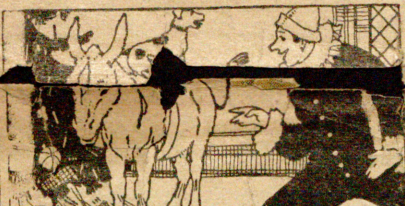


THE CLOWN'S CHRISTMAS

By Mary Graham Bonner

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FOR YEARS he had been funny. For years he had painted his face, worn funny clothes and had made jokes. He had traveled first of all in this country with a road circus. Then, when the road circus was going out of business, more or less, he joined a road circus abroad. And now he was very old. But every afternoon and every night for ten months of the year he made jokes. He was in a small circus, so, so sometimes he had to take other arts. The performing fox terriers acted with him. They were his pets. And now he loved them. How could some people be unkind to their pets? Not the old clown. There was the donkey, too. When a paid too much attention to the dogs the donkey came along and gave him a push to tell him that the donkey, too, wanted some attention. And now he had planned to have a holiday. A long holiday. He would take a little place and with his donkey and his fox terriers they would rest after their work. They would not join the circus another year. They were all old. How tired he had become after some of the performances that year. He had washed his face in the basin



of cold water outside his wagon and had not even bothered to get off all the makeup.

The water was cold. It was hard to heat water after the performance was over, and only a little of the paint came off—only a little cold-looking pink water was at the bottom of the basin.

But the dogs didn't mind. They slept on the end or by the side of his cot in his wagon. They jumped in after him each evening, and they each kissed him good night. They didn't mind paint. They were used to it.

Oh, yes, he would take a long, long holiday. He would rest on the little he had managed to save. It would be enough for him and his pets.

But as the days passed along he seemed to feel rested and the pets seemed to have new vigor and strength. It was splendid to feel rested again. A family had invited him to Christmas dinner—and he had accepted and he had asked, too, if he could come with his donkey and bring his dogs along. They, he said, would be put on a little show for the children.

It was all agreed.

But when Christmas afternoon came and the Christmas dinner was over, and the old clown was beginning his show for the children, he knew then that he could never take more than a few months' holiday from being a clown.

The laughter and the delight and the shrieks and the cries of joy from the children were things the old clown could not get along without.

His Christmas had shown him that!

Naughty Papa



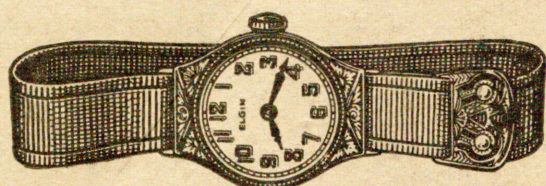
"Mother, does Santa Claus love my nursemaid, too?"
"I guess so, Thomas. Why?"
"Well last Christmas I saw Santa holding her on his lap."

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Doll Bassinette, made of wood, smoothly finished in ivory or blue enamel, 25x14 and 22 inches high

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Table and Chair set, consisting of white porcelain top table and two white chairs, strongly built

\$7.98

Blackboard hard wood frame and easel. Size 19x39 high

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Shoo fly Rocker Horses, nicely finished, fancy cretonne covered seat. Specially priced at

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Gilbert Tool Chest, the kind every boy wants, set of 12 pieces in hard wood chest

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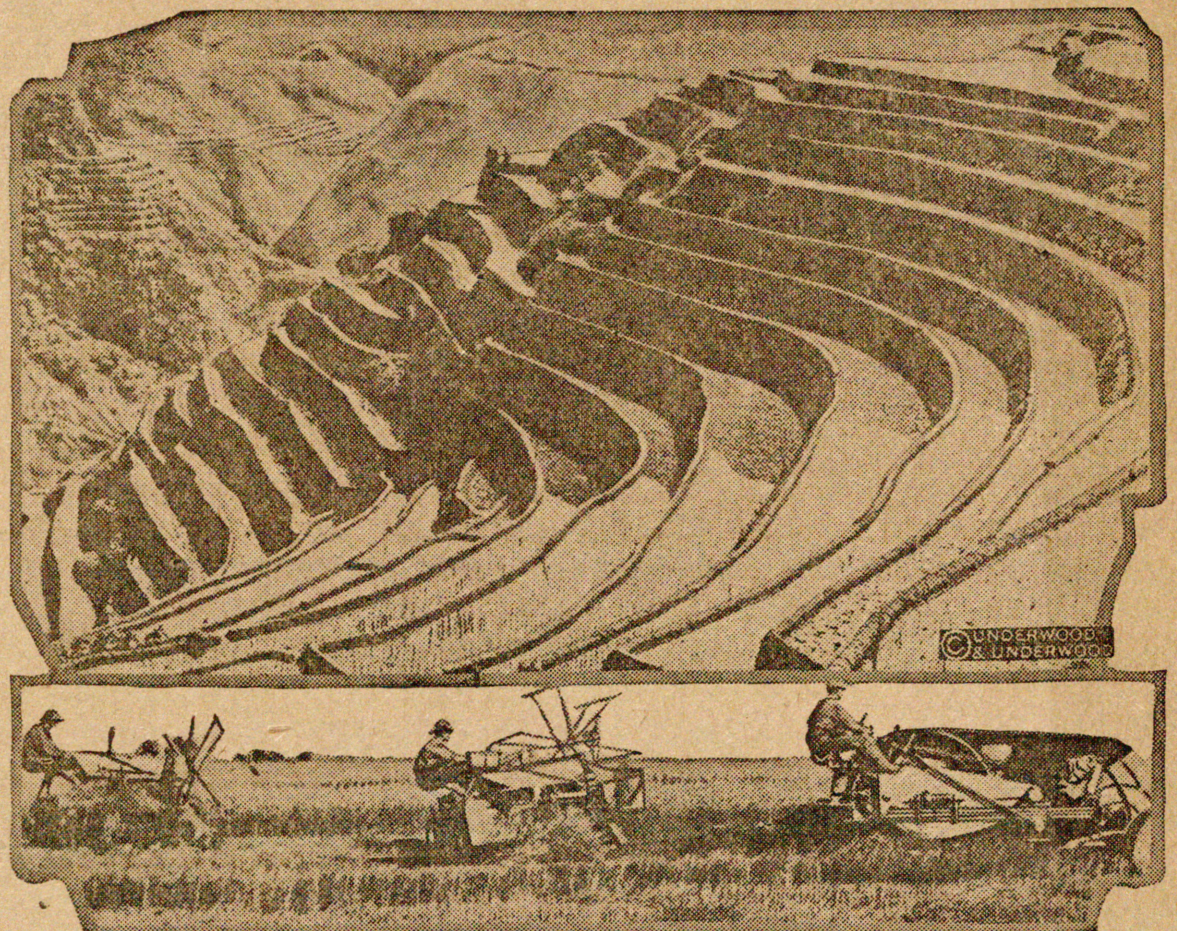
Merchants Buy Your Space Now!

Bank Girls Trained to Shoot Straight at Bandits



Aroused by the recent epidemic of holdups in Greater New York, the managers of banking institutions there have been training their employees, men and women alike, to shoot straight at robbers. The girls in the photograph are clerks in a Brooklyn bank.

Rice Fields of Filipinos and of Americans Differ



Methods of growing rice in the Philippines and in the United States are very different. In the illustration above are seen rice terraces constructed in the mountains of Luzon by the Ifugaos; and, below, rice farmers near Stuttgart, Ark., harvesting their abundant crop.

Woman's Party's New Slogan Banner



Janet Fouts and Margaret Raef, carrying the new slogan banner of the Woman's party which was carried by the deputation to President Coolidge recently. They are wearing the new national costume that was worn then. Miss Fouts is of Washington, while Miss Raef is from Milwaukee, Wis.

NO WONDER HE WAILS



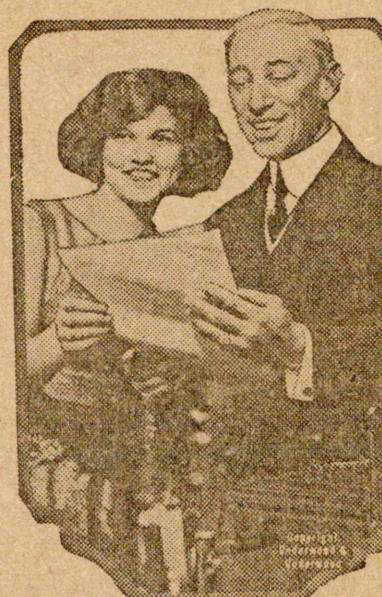
Col. Macks Willard of Los Angeles tells a tough luck story. He's 7 feet 2 inches tall and weighs 310, so can't get clothes, shoes, hats or other garments unless they're made to order. No girl will marry him because she couldn't be on the level with him. He has to pack his own bed along because no hotel has one long enough; went to war, but was too much of a target, being shot nine times; has to sit in the back row or rent a box at the theater, and can't use a telephone booth because they're not built big enough. But to pretty little Buker he confided that there's one advantage and that is he's so tall he can see all the pretty girls in a crowd.

SON OF OLDEST FATHER



The father of this sturdy infant, Himan Dutcher, aged seventy-eight, of Oswego, N. Y., is now claiming the title of the oldest father in the United States. The baby, Desmond George Irwin Dutcher, is six months old.

YOU CAN SEE HE WON



Mayor-Elect Kendrick of Philadelphia reading the election returns. With him is Miss Charlotte Nash, who was "Miss St. Louis" in the Atlantic City beauty pageant last year.

CZECH MEMORIAL COIN



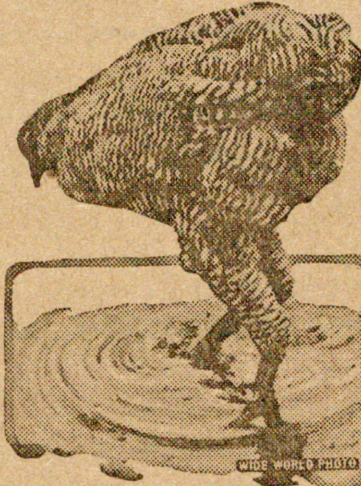
This shows the new Czechoslovak gold coin, issued in commemoration of the fifth anniversary of the Czechoslovak republic. The face of the coin depicts St. Venceslaus, the prince of Bohemia, with the prayer of his people, "Do not allow us or our descendants to perish."

IN STEVENSON'S MEMORY



Members of the Bohemian club of San Francisco paying tribute to the memory of Robert Louis Stevenson on the seventy-third anniversary of his birth, placing a wreath on the Stevenson memorial in Portsmouth square.

CHICKEN THAT FISHES



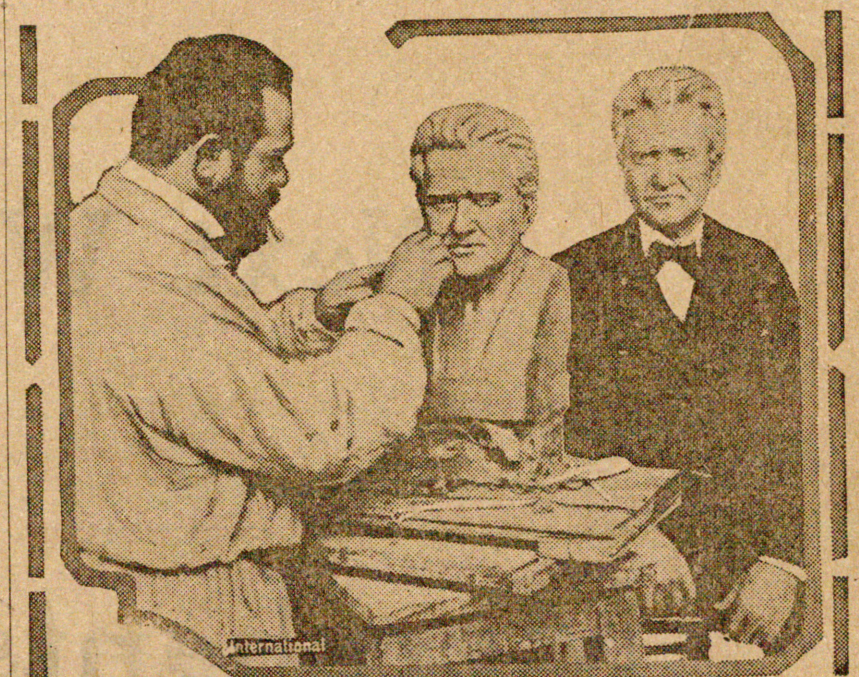
Most chickens are "water shy," but this rooster, owned by a boatman at Prescott, Wis., almost daily wades into the St. Croix river and catches minnows which he eats.

Saw Japan Earthquake From Air



Mr. and Mrs. Dan Davidson, who have just returned from Asia to San Francisco, happened to be flying in an airplane over Tokyo and Yokohama when the great earthquake occurred. They say it was the most spectacular sight imaginable and that the earth rolled like the ocean.

LaFollette Poses for Davidson



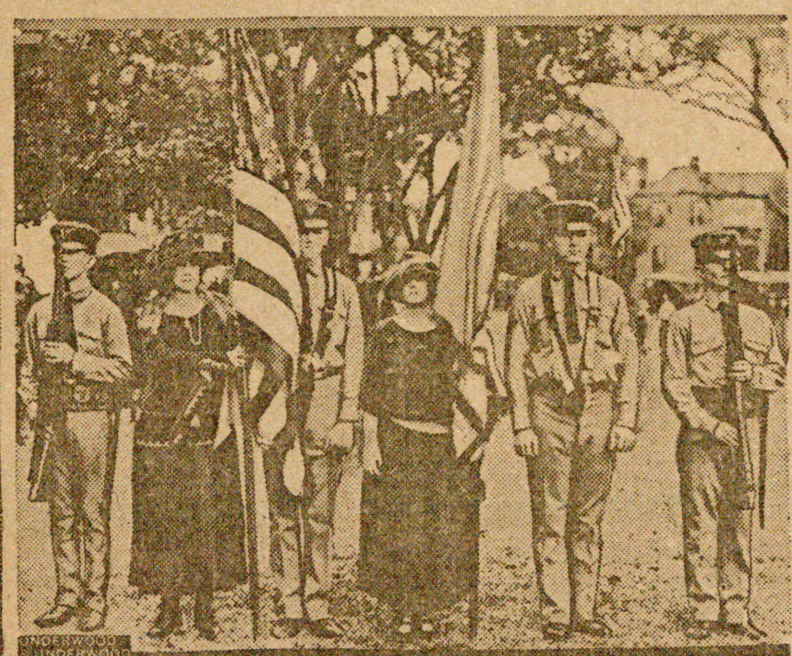
Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin is pictured above posing in Paris for a sculptured bust by Jo Davidson, the prominent American sculptor.

One Reason Why They Join the Navy



American youths who enlist in the navy certainly have opportunities to see the strange places of the earth. Here are some of them "feeding" the stone elephants that guard the entrance to the famous Ming tombs near Nanking, China.

Old Southern School Gets New Flags



Presentation of new national and state flags marked the occasion of the "Old Porter Boys" reunion at Porter Military academy, Charleston, S. C. They were the gift of chapters of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

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AW, WHAT'S THE USE

THINK HOW MANY FATHER'S THERE ARE RIGHT IN THIS TOWN THAT PULL THIS HIGH & MIGHTY STUFF WITH THEIR KIDS — THAT'S NO WAY TO BRING 'EM UP — YOU GOT TO BE A PAL TO 'EM — MAKE 'EM LOVE YOU, NOT FEAR YOU — GET OUT AN' PLAY WITH 'EM — THAT'S MY MOTTO

POP, ME AN' THE GANG WANT YOU TO COME OUT AN' PLAY FOOTBALL WITH US

SURE! I'D LOVE TO !!

FELIX HAS THE RIGHT IDEA — HE'S JUST LIKE A BIG BOY HIMSELF — GET'S RIGHT OUT AND SCRAMBLES WITH THEM

THOSE KIDS TACKLE TOO DARN HARD!

By L. F. Van Zelm
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So Felix Gave Up Football

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

YA LOOK BADI! ARE YA SICK?

YEAH! MY SWEETIE IS MAD AT ME, AND IT AINT MY FAULT!!

I TOLD HER TO SEND HER SOME ROSES — ONE FER EACH YEAR — SHE BEING 24, SO I ORDERED TWO DOZEN FROM THE FLORIST

YESS! YESS!! GWAN!

SO WHAT DOES TH' DOOR NUT DO BUT GET A GENEROUS STREAK, AND PUT IN AN EXTRA DOZEN!

By Charles Sughroe
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Along the Concrete

BETTER SLOW DOWN THERE'S A MOTOR CYCLE FOLLOWIN' US

GEE, I CANT TELL WHETHER IT'S A SPEED COP OR NOT

IS IT A MOTOR CYCLE COP?

OH DEAR, IF WE SHOULD BE ARRESTED — I DONT SEE WHY YOU ALWAYS HAVE TO SPEED

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Big Events in the Lives of Little Men

OH GEE!! IM GETTING SOMETHING

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The Clancy Kids

No Doubt in Timmie's Mind

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CANDY STORE

WHAT'S THE IDEA OF BRINGIN' IN THAT SIGN?

IM GOIN' TO TAKE THE JOB.

BOY WANTED

LOWBROW.

Have you seen that problem play at the Gink Theatre.

No, and I don't want to. I never did care for mathematics.

OF NO ACCOUNT.

Does your wife lecture you?

Me? Why, Marie wouldn't waste her time lecturing a little bit of an audience like me.

RADIO RALF AND HIS FRIENDS---

By JACK WILSON

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OH, GEEMINY!!! I ALMOST FORGOT!

I'LL HAVE TO HURRY!

WHY RALF!

WHY RALF, YOU SHOULD ALWAYS WAIT AND DRESS' BEFORE YOU COME OUT HERE!

WHAT? AND MISS THAT VAUDEVILLE HOUR?

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It constitutes a fine upon the thrifty

Illustration by Raymond Peary

ARTICLE NINE FINING THE THRIFTY

The great outstanding fact about Life Insurance is that it is made up of forty million of our citizens, who by voluntary cooperation in saving and investment, have built up a fund of billions of dollars for the purpose of providing protection for themselves and their families when they may be disabled by disease or removed by death. This is good business, good morals and good citizenship.

Life Insurance must be supervised by the government. The supervision to be paid for by Life Insurance itself as a part of its legitimate expenditures. Beyond this all taxation of Life Insurance from the point of view of the policy-holder is wrong in principle and practice for two reasons: first, it constitutes a fine upon the thrifty for saving their money, and second, it forms a tax upon capital which, in essence, is exactly as unsound as for a man to put a mortgage upon his farm and then use the money for his living expenses.

One of the fundamental principles of all taxation is that when it threatens to become confiscation, it defeats its own purpose. The reserve fund of an insurance company is the amount that is set aside by the company to fulfill its obligation to its policy-holders; this amount is de-

termined by fixed mathematical and economic laws. It follows that the company must invest this reserve at such a rate of interest as, added to the reserve itself and future premiums, will produce the full amount of the insurance when it comes due. To take out of this fund by taxes, thousands of dollars a day above the costs of supervision is neither sound economics nor sound morals; however it may be judged from the standpoint of politics.

It is estimated that a tax of seventy dollars is imposed for every thousand dollars' worth of life insurance that is paid to beneficiaries. In the dignified language of the Stuart Mill, this is a "direct discouragement of prudence and forethought."

Probably the real reason for this increasing burden of taxation placed by the various governments on the savings of forty millions of their citizens is to be found in ignorance on both sides. The representatives of the State apparently do not know that the life insurance company's belong to their policy-holders, and that the reserve funds of the companies are simply the savings of forty million policy-holders, held together as a safe insurance for their families against the future. On the other hand, these millions of thrifty people do not seem to know that unnecessary taxation is a form of confiscation of their property. Once they know the truth they will see to it that the evil is cured.

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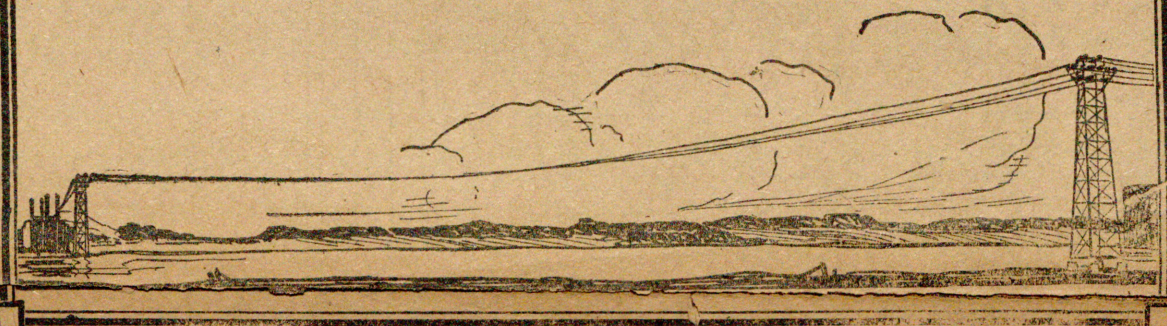
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What the World Is Doing

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Fishhook Hung From Kite To Catch Giant Tuna

To catch tuna and swordfish, kites are being used on the west coast to carry the hooks and bait far from the boats. After they are sent up, the fishing line



is attached to the kite string which drags it over the water. When a fish bites, the sportsman reels it in close enough for a companion to strike with a harpoon. As some of the catches weigh from 100 to 300 pounds, lively battles take place. Rules of a club formed by fishermen permit only the angler and spear thrower to kill or gaff the fish. In contests, shooting disqualifies the participant. To be eligible for membership a candidate must land a tuna weighing at least 100 pounds or a swordfish of more than 200 pounds, using heavy tackle.

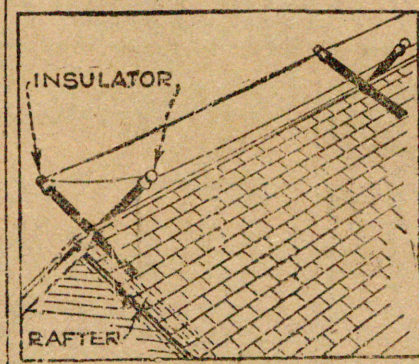
War Engines of Future To Be Electric

Electricity is to be a strong factor in future wars according to statements made by British experts who see in the discovery of science a terrible power of destruction from mysterious waves of electric current sent through the air from hidden sources. Motors of airplanes and sea-

craft will be hauled by special waves of wireless broadcast for thousands of miles and even infantry and cavalry might be thrown into confusion or utterly destroyed by strong jets of water charged with electricity and mixed with acids. Machine guns and monster naval cannon, it is said, may be noiseless, and the projectiles will be "fired" by electric force. Sound made by electrically operated instruments will roar over the battle fields with such a racket as to wreck the minds of opposing armies that dare to remain within hearing. Heat generated wirelessly will shoot out unseen over wide areas, destroying property and life without warning.

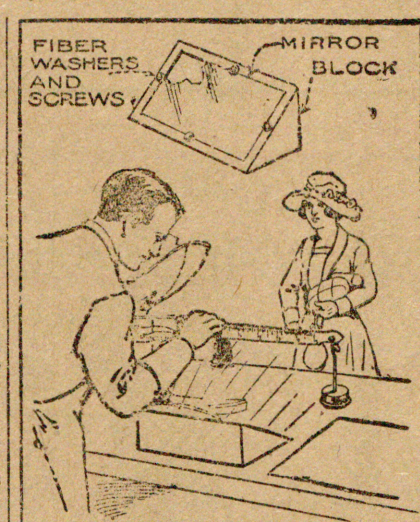
Erecting Supports for Aerials

A simple method of erecting supports for aerials, when height is not a great consideration, is to nail lengths of 2 by 2-in. wood to the roof as shown in the drawing. The supports are fastened on opposite sides of the roof, and are located over rafters, so that the spikes can be driven into these. The distance between the upper ends of the supports should be about 16 to 24 in. Ordinary porcelain insulators, which can be procured from any electrical store, are screwed to the ends of the supports and the aerial is attached to these. Care must, of course, be taken to have the aerial wires stretched as



Illuminating the Scale Beam

The difficulty in properly adjusting the weight on the beam of a scale is a small store, due to insufficient light, was remedied by providing a mirror set in the position shown, to reflect the light on the scale beam, the mirror being mounted on a triangular block. The light from the window opposite the scale was reflected so that the graduations could be seen distinctly, and at night the store lights were similarly reflected on the beam. The use of an electric light was first suggested but the mirror was found to serve the purpose just as well, and without the cost of burning an extra light.



Tracing Starter Troubles

Before blaming the starting motor or switch when the starter refuses to operate and the battery is known to be in good shape and fully charged, or nearly so, examine all terminals carefully, taking them off, cleaning thoroughly with a file or sandpaper, and scraping the battery post clamps inside and out. Very often there is nothing wrong except dirty or corroded terminals, and cleaning will remove the trouble at once. Keep the battery posts and clamps clean and covered with vaseline to prevent corrosion, and be especially careful about the ground connections, which in many cars collect dirt, and rust or corrode.

It is also good practice to examine the starting-motor cables occasionally, and to renew them if the insulation is badly frayed or there are broken strands.

HOW A RIP-ROARING RADICAL WAS TAMED

By JOHN OAKWOOD

The best story of the taming of a radical I have ever read is told by A. B. Farquhar in his book "The First Million the Hardest." It throws more light on the meaning of capitalism and the futility of socialism than a library full of books on sociology, economics and politics. Here it is as Farquhar tells it:

"The best antidote for acute economic insanity is ownership of property. My favorite example is Otto Steininger. He was one of my first employees and was a rip-roaring anarchist. He insisted that all wealth came from the workers and therefore should go back to the workers. He was particularly bitter against his landlord and hardly a week went by that he did not announce that he had definitely decided that he would like to shoot the landlord the next time he came around for the rent. Finally I asked him smilingly after one of these outbursts:

"Buy, Don't Shoot
"Why don't you buy your own house instead of shooting your landlord? Then you would not have to pay any rent. If you do shoot him you may get into trouble."

"He did not think much of the idea apparently but in a day or two he asked me how he could buy the house. I answered: 'That house can be bought for \$800. You are getting good wages. I will buy that house for you, take \$4 a week out of your wages, and in less than four years you will have it paid for.'

"He went off again. The next time he came back it was with his wife. He said: 'We are going to buy that house but since we have no children you can take \$10 instead of \$4 a week out of my pay envelope.'

"I bought the house and then Otto's chief concern was to get it paid for, which he did in a little more than a year. There was another house next door to him. In a short while after he had paid for his first house, he sided up to me and said:

"I can buy that house next door for a thousand dollars. Now that we have no rent to pay we are going along good. What would you think about me buying that?"

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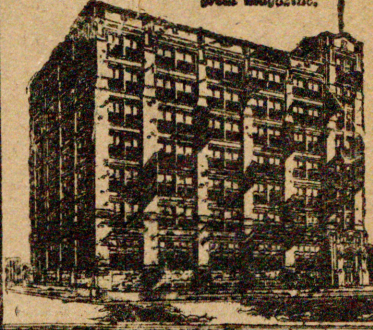
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